



PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q62748

Shino KANAMORI, et al.

Appln. No.: 09/765,369

Group Art Unit: 2612

Confirmation No.: 8599

Examiner: Justin P. Misleh

Filed: January 22, 2001

For: INPUT UNIT AND CAPTURING APPARATUS USING THE SAME

RESPONSE TO ELECTION OF SPECIES REQUIREMENT

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:


In reply to the Election of Species Requirement dated November 2, 2004, Applicant hereby elects Species I, readable on Figs. 1-9B, without traverse.

The Claims readable on the elected species include: 1-7, 9, 41-42, 48, 50-53, 55-56. Claim 1 has been deemed generic.

Favorable consideration on the merits is now respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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